

Judge Barbara J. Rothstein

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

MOUNT VERNON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

V.

FOURGENTS INVESTMENT GROUP
LLC, d/b/a LA FAMILIA SPORTS PUB
AND LOUNGE (LA FAMILIA), JOHN
HART, FRANK GITTENS, BRIAN
BARRON, STACY FRAZIER, JOHN
DOES 1-10.

Defendants.

NO. 2:25-cv-00271-BJR
ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF
MOUNT VERNON FIRE
INSURANCE COMPANY'S MOTION
FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on Plaintiff Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company's Motion For Summary Judgment, the following documents have been reviewed by the court:

1. Plaintiff's Motion For Summary Judgment;
2. Declaration Of Jeffrey D. Laveson in Support of Plaintiff's Motion For Summary Judgment;
3. Defendants' Response to Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment;

and

4. The Parties' Notice of Contingent Settlement.

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INSURANCE COMPANY'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY
JUDGMENT – 1
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1 NOW, THEREFORE, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

2 1. Plaintiff Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company's Motion For
3 Summary Judgment is **GRANTED**.

4 2. Defendants' Counterclaims are **DISMISSED**, with prejudice, and
5 without attorneys fees or costs to either Party.

6 3. Plaintiff Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company has no further defense
7 obligation and no indemnity obligation under Policy Number CP 2645918, issued to
8 Four Gents Investment Group LLC d/b/a La Familia Sports Pub & Lounge, for claims
9 arising from the September 26, 2021 shooting incident in Des Moines, Washington.

10 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Clerk is hereby directed to enter
11 this Order, provide copies to counsel, and close the file.

12 **DATED** this 8th day of July, 2025.

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15 Judge Barbara J. Rothstein

16 Presented By:
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20 By s/ Jeffrey D. Laveson
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 13th day of July, 2025, I electronically filed the foregoing **[Proposed] Order Granting Plaintiff Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company's Motion For Summary Judgment** with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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DATED this 13th day of July, 2025.

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**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF MOUNT VERNON FIRE
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